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In re application of:

Akira TSUKIHASHI

Serial No: Not assigned

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application identified above.

- ☒ 2 sheet(s) of drawings (☒ formal ☐ informal) is(are) enclosed.
- ☒ 22 page(s) of specification and 1 page(s) of abstract of the invention are enclosed.
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to SANYO ELECTRIC CO., LTD. ☒ is enclosed ☐ will follow.
- ☐ An associate power of attorney ☐ is enclosed ☐ will follow.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 & 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney ☒ is enclosed ☐ will follow.
- ☒ A certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. 11-000917 filed January 6, 1999 from which priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 is enclosed.
- ☐ IDS enclosed (☐ with references).
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.

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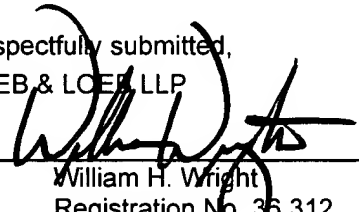
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A	TOTAL CLAIMS FEE	12	-20	0	LG=\$18 SM=\$9	\$18	0	
B	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE*	2	-3	0	LG=\$78 SM=\$39	\$78	0	
C	SUBTOTAL - ADDITIONAL CLAIMS FEE (ADD FINAL COLUMN IN LINES A + B)							\$ 0
D	MULTIPLE-DEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE					LARGE ENTITY FEE = \$260 SMALL ENTITY FEE = \$130		\$ 0
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- ☒ patent application ( 22 page(s) of specification; 12 claim(s); 1 page(s) of abstract
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- ☒ executed Declaration and Power of Attorney
- ☒ assignment of the invention to SANYO ELECTRIC CO., LTD.
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